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Method and Apparatus in the Drying Section of a Paper Machine or the Like

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3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
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8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
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- * PCT Cover Sheet (2 pp) and Specification and Claims (34 pp) with attached formal drawings (11 sheets)
- * PCT International Search Report (3 pp)
- * PCT International Preliminary Examination Report (3 pp)
- * Preliminary Amendment (9 pp)
- * Information Disclosure Statement (2 pp)
- * PTO/SB/08A with 8 attached documents

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